Avalanche near Lionhead Peak

Lionhead Ridge Lionhead Range 1/4/2022 Code SS-N-R3-D2-O Elevation

9000

Aspect

NE

Latitude

44.73280

Longitude

-111.33200

Notes

This avalanche broke wide in a northerly facing bowl off Lionhead Ridge. It looks to have broken a foot or less deep. The propogation indicates a uniform <u>weak layer</u>, likely near-surface facets or <u>surface hoar</u>.

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

3

D size

2

Bed Surface

O - Old snow

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Images

Recent Avalanche in Lionhead

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

21-22